

Federal Emergency Management Agency

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Availability of the Draft Environmental Assessment

For Neenah Menasha Fire Rescue/ City of Menasha

Fire Station #36

1108 Province Terrace/Parcel # 7-00015-03

Menasha, Wisconsin 54952

Environmental Assessment (EA) for the Neenah Menasha Fire Rescue, City of Menasha Fire Station #36 - EMW-2009-FC-01344R.

Interested persons are hereby notified that the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)/Department of Homeland Security (DHS) is proposing to assist in the funding of the construction of the Neenah Menasha Fire Rescue, City of Menasha Fire Station #36 located at 1108 Province Terrace, Menasha, Wisconsin 54952. This project will result in the construction of a fire station to serve the northeastern portion of the Neenah Menasha Fire Rescue response jurisdiction. In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969 and the implementing regulations of FEMA, an EA is being prepared to assess the potential impacts of each of the proposed alternatives on the human and natural environment. This also provides public notice to invite public comments on the proposed project in accordance with Executive Order 11988, Floodplain Management, and Executive Order 11990, Protection of Wetlands. In addition, this notice and the draft EA provide information to the public on potential impacts to historic and cultural resources from the proposed undertaking, as outlined in the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) of 1966.

The draft EA is available for review between May 21, 2010 and June 21, 2010 at the City of Menasha, City Hall, Community Development Office, 2nd Floor, located at 140 Main Street, Menasha, Wisconsin 54952-3151 during normal hours of operation. The draft EA is also available for review online at the FEMA website

<http://www.fema.gov/plan/ehp/envdocuments/ea-region5.shtm>.

Written comments regarding this environmental action should be received no later than 5 p.m. on June 21, 2010 by Amanda C. Ratliff, Regional Environmental Officer, FEMA, 536 South Clark Street, 6th Floor, Chicago, IL 60605-1521, or at Amanda.Ratliff@dhs.gov.

If no substantive comments are received by the above deadline, the draft EA and associated Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) will become final and be published by FEMA. Substantive comments will be addressed as appropriate in the final documents.

The public may request a copy of the final environmental documents from Amanda C. Ratliff at the address listed above.